



Seneca Foods Corporation

Vegetable Division

July 13, 1999

Ms. Catalina Ferre-Hockensmith
Office of Food Labeling (HFS158)
Food and Drug Administration
200 C. Street SW
Washington, DC 20204

Dear Ms. Ferre-Hockensmith:

This letter is in reference to our request for a temporary permit for color stabilized green beans.

You had requested the actual labels that will be used on this product. As I explained on the phone, we only have mock-ups that would be sent to our printer. I have enclosed those. You will note that we are submitting labels for three sizes and three styles.

Further, you needed the total distribution as required in CFR130.17c11. The total distribution will be 75,000 cases of 14.5 oz. cut green beans.

Please note that temporary permits to market test experimental packs of canned green beans containing added zinc chloride to stabilize the green color have been issued to thirteen other canners.

We kindly request that Seneca Foods also receive a temporary permit.

I may be reached at 608-741-6132 if you have any further questions.

Sincerely,

Susan E. Boeding

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VP, Tech Services and Development

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S. Boeding explained to me that they are only intend to market 75,000 cases of (24 cans/case) 14.5 oz. of cut green beans this year. Even though, she submitted labels for French and whole green beans in containers of various sizes.

418 East Condo Street - Janesville, Wisconsin 53546
Phone (608) 757-6000 Fax (608) 752-5042

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7/21/99
24 cans/box
per
S. Boeding
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SERVING SUGGESTIONS

Heat drained liquid, add beans and simmer. Do not boil. Add melted butter, salt and pepper to taste. Decorate with slivered almonds or sauteed mushrooms.

Try these other Perfection products: carrots, wax beans, peas, beets, sauerkraut, potatoes and corn.



CUT GREEN BEANS VERY GREEN



NET WT. 14.5 OZ. (411g)

Nutrition Facts

Serving Size 1/2 Cup (120g)

Servings Per Container about 3.5

Amount Per Serving

Calories 25 Calories from fat 0

% Daily Value*

Total Fat 0g 0%

Sodium 380mg 16%

Potassium 120mg 3%

Total Carbohydrate 5g 2%

Dietary Fiber 2g 9%

Sugars 2g

Protein less than 1g

Vitamin A 4% Vitamin C 8%

Calcium 4% Zinc 35%

Not a significant source of Saturated Fat,
Cholesterol, and Iron.

*Percent Daily Values are based on a diet of
Calorie diet.

INGREDIENTS: GREEN BEANS, WATER, SALT,
ZINC CHLORIDE (FOR STABILIZATION OF COLOR)

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SERVING SUGGESTIONS

Heat drained liquid, add beans and simmer. Do not boil. Add melted butter, salt and pepper to taste. Decorate with slivered almonds or sauteed mushrooms.

Try these other Perfection products: carrots, red beans, peas, beets, sauerkraut, potatoes, and corn.



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Dietary Fiber 2g	9%
Sugars 2g	
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Calcium 4%	Zinc 35%
Not a significant source of Saturated Fat, Cholesterol, and Iron.	
*Percent Daily Values are based on a 2,000 calorie diet.	

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